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**AMENDMENT**

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of November 27, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below. A **three-month extension of time** for filing a response is requested. Please charge the **\$1,050** fee for three-month extension, as well as **\$670** extra-claims fee (for the 5 extra claims in addition to 34 total previously paid for, and 2 extra independent claims in excess of 3 previously paid for), as well as any other required fees, to **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP's** Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

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